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CONVERTING A MIXTURE OF
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HYDROCARBONS AND CARBON
SOLIDS

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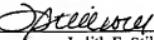
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Sir:

Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed November 9 2007, and respectfully requests the amendments and remarks be entered in the file of the above identified application.

Amendment of the Claims: begin on page 2 of this paper

Remarks: begin on page 6 of this paper.